

REMARKS/ARGUMENT

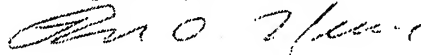
In the Advisory Action dated November 2, 2007, Examiner maintained his rejection of objected to Claim 3. By this amendment Applicants amend objected to Claim 3 to include the limitations of base Claim 16 and intervening Claim 2. Accordingly, Claim 3 stands allowable.

Applicants otherwise affirm the arguments they set forth in their Amendment of October 22, 2007 for the allowance of rejected claims 2, 5, 6-8, 16, 24, 26 and 28.

An amendment after a final rejection should be entered when it will place the case either in condition for allowance or in better form for appeal. 37 C.F.R. 1.116; MPEP 714.12. This amendment places Claim 3 in condition for allowance.

Accordingly, Claims 5, 9-15, 17-20, 25, 27, 29-35 and 37-40 are allowed. Objected to Claims 3 has been amended to be allowable. Applicants respectfully request withdrawal of the rejection of Claim 3.

Respectfully submitted,



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